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In re Patent Application of

ARNAUD et al

Atty. Ref.: 2350-60

Serial No. 09/049,927

Group: 1625

Filed: March 30, 1998

Examiner: Huang

For: ANHYDROUS COSMETIC OR
DERMATOLOGICAL COMPOSITION....

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October 24, 2000

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231**RESPONSE**

Sir:

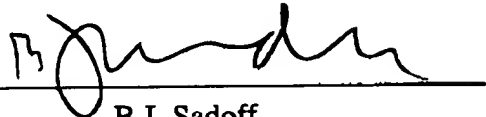
Responsive to the Office Action dated July 13, 2000, and further to a teleconference of October 24, 2000, with the Examiner, it is the undersigned's understanding that the remaining outstanding rejection (i.e., the Section 112, first paragraph, rejection of claims 13-37) has been withdrawn in response to arguments of record. The Examiner is requested to issue a Notice of Allowance, forward an Examiner Interview Summary Record indicating that the finality of the Office Action of July 13, 2000, has been withdrawn, or forward a Notice indicating the present application has been suspended for review by the Examiner with the Board. In any event, the Examiner is requested to notify the undersigned, in writing, preferably by return facsimile, that the finality of the Office Action of July 13, 2000, has been withdrawn. The Examiner is authorized by the attached cover sheet to charge the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 14-1140

(under Order No. 2350-60) for a one month extension of time. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned if anything further is required at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

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